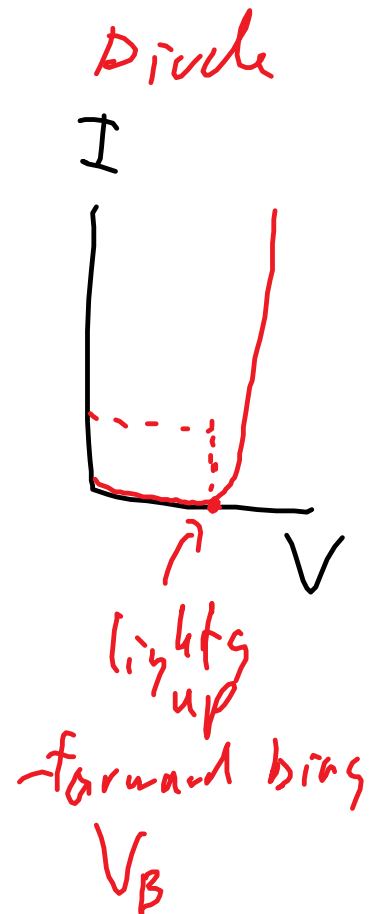
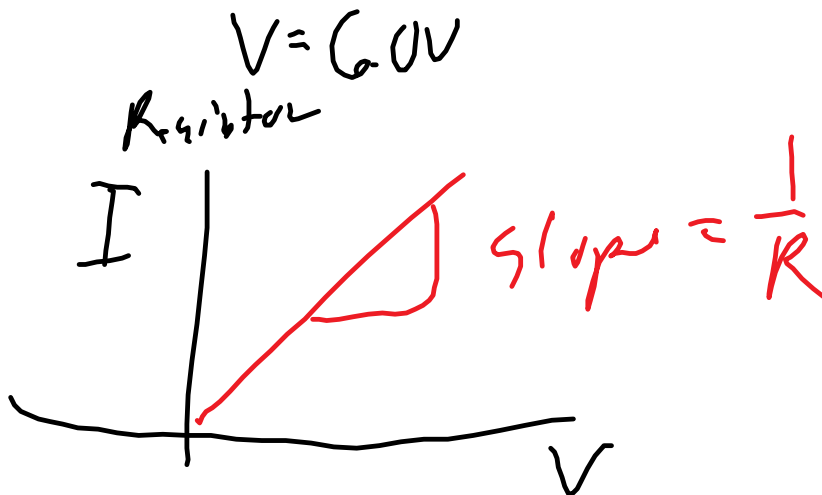
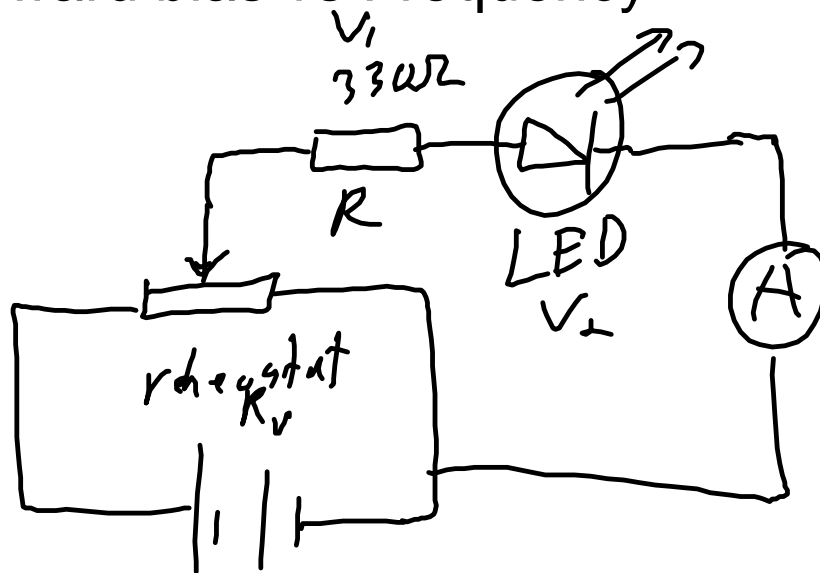


# Diode forward bias vs Frequency



e.g. red = 1.4V

$$V = \frac{\text{Energy}}{\text{charge}}$$

$$\text{Energy} = V_g = hf$$

$$1.4 \text{ V} (1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}) = 6.63 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J s } f$$

$$f = 3.38 \times 10^{14} \text{ Hz}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{c}{f} = \frac{3 \times 10^8}{3.38 \times 10^{14}} = 8.9 \times 10^{-7} \text{ m}$$

## Greenhouse Gasses and Global Warming

Treat the sun as a blackbody radiator, the Earth as both a black body radiator and absorber, and greenhouse gasses as masses with "springs" that resonate at particular frequencies. Then we will add some factors to account for complexities.

### Blackbody Radiation:

A perfect black body radiates energy at a rate proportional to the surface area and the Temperature in Kelvin to the forth power.

$$P = \sigma A T^4$$

not ideal

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1101 1000000

$$P = \epsilon \sigma A T^4$$

$\uparrow$  not ideal  $< 1$

$\sigma$  = Stefan-Boltzmann's constant

$$5.67 \times 10^{-8} \text{ W m}^{-2} \text{ K}^{-4}$$

Peak of Blackbody emission

$$\lambda = \frac{2.90 \times 10^{-3}}{T} \text{ Wien's Law}$$

$\uparrow$  in Kelvin

Eg. 1. Determine the Power output of the Sun, the Earth and a person, and peak emission  $\lambda$ .

Sun -  $T=5780\text{K}$ , radius  $6.96 \times 10^8\text{m}$ .

Earth -  $16^\circ\text{C}$  radius  $6.38 \times 10^6\text{m}$

You -  $37^\circ\text{C}$  area:  $1.7 \text{ m}^2$

Assume blackbody.

1. If a human emits  $75\text{W}$ , what is the emission constant  $\epsilon$ ?
2. If the Earth is  $1.50 \times 10^{10}\text{m}$  away from the

Sun, what is the power input per unit area on the Earth, the intensity? What is the peak possible power output of a solar panel with area  $2.0\text{m}^2$ ?

3. Treat the earth as a sphere and calculate the equilibrium temperature where input (as a disc) and output(sphere) are balanced. (assume perfect blackbodies)

$$P = \sigma A T^4$$

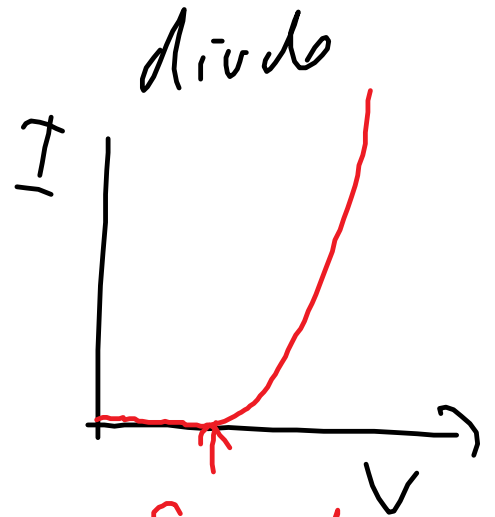
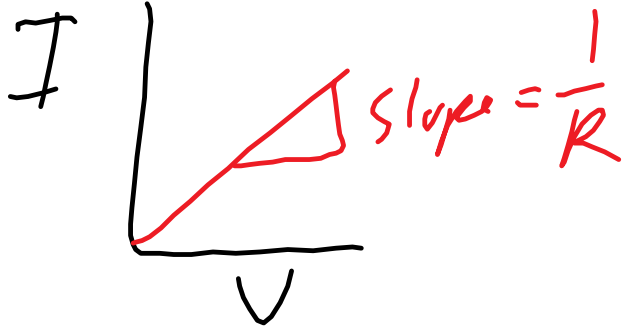
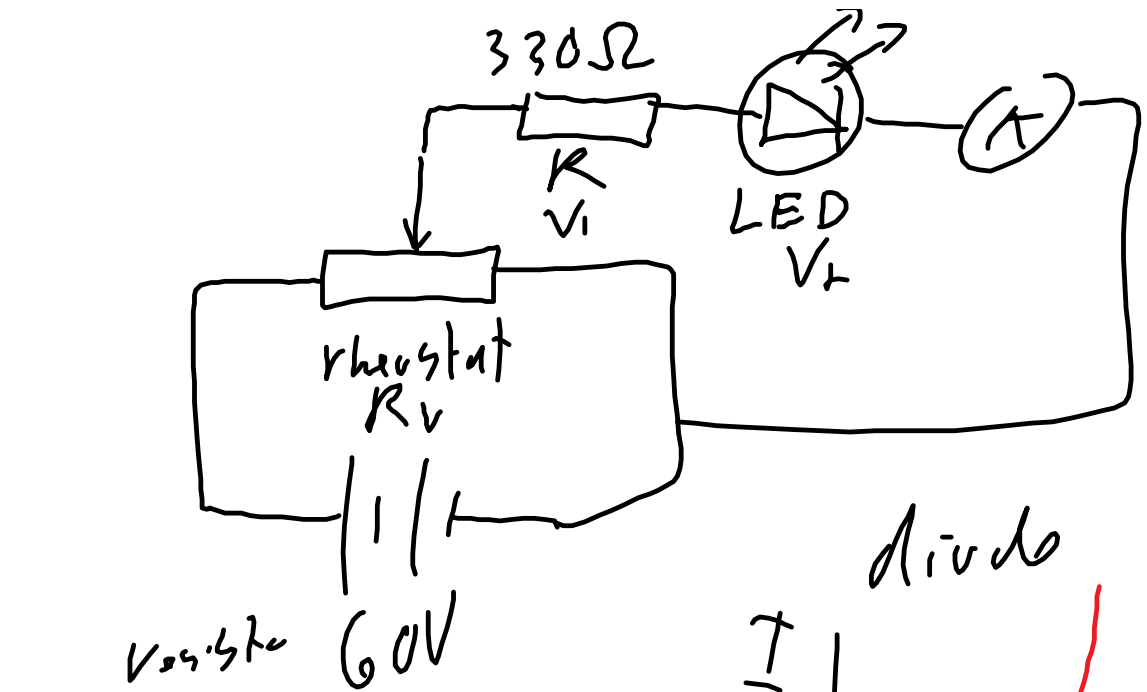
$$P = ~~5.67~~ 5.67 \times 10^{-8} \text{ W } (1.7\text{m}^2) (37 + 273)^4$$

$$\approx 890 \text{ W}$$

$$\epsilon = \frac{75}{890} = \boxed{0.084}$$

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Demo of different LEDs (light emitting diode)



forward bias  
 $V_B = 1.4V$  red  
 $= 1.5V$  yellow  
 $= 1.6V$  green

$$\Delta E_e = E_{\text{photon}}$$

$$V_{xe} = hf$$

red  $1.4 \times 1.6 \times 10^{-19} = 6.63 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J s } f$

$$f = 3.38 \times 10^{14} \text{ Hz}$$

$$\lambda = c = 3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$$

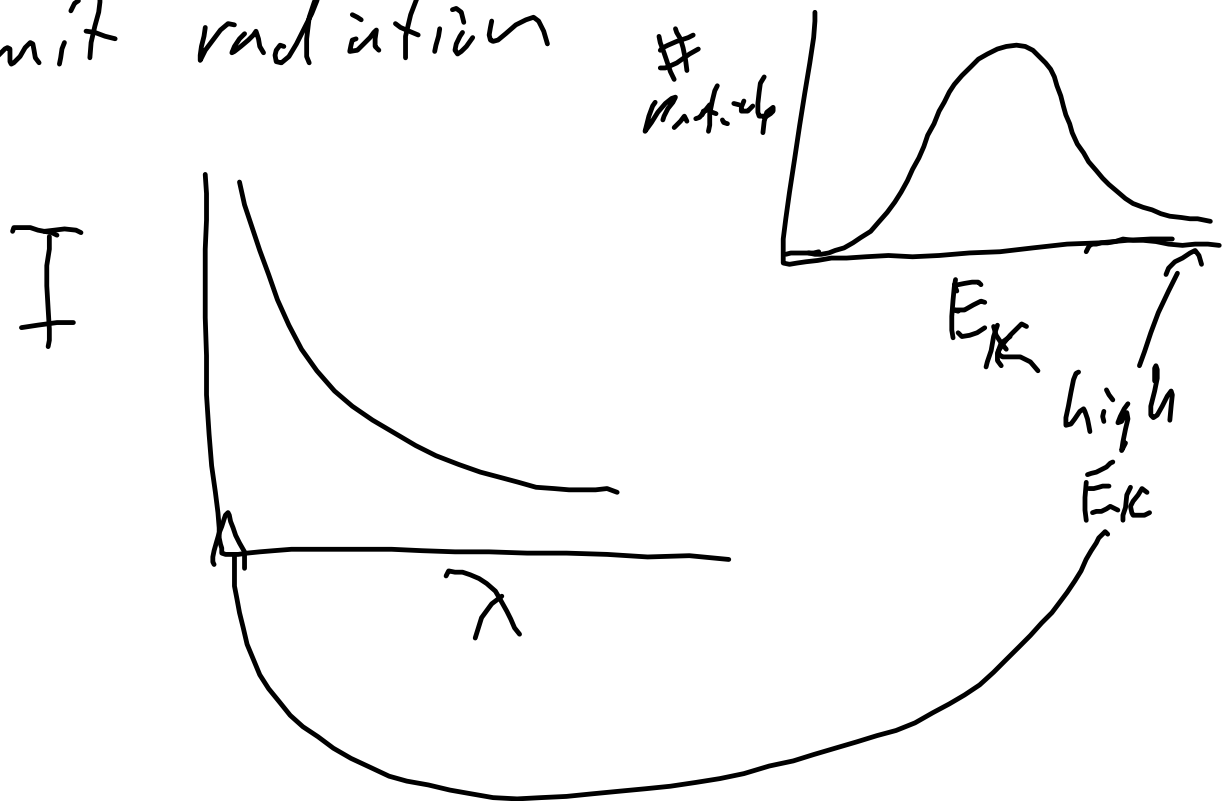
$$\lambda = 9.5 \times 10^{-7} \text{ m}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{c}{f} = \frac{3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}}{3.38 \times 10^{14} \text{ Hz}} = \boxed{8.9 \times 10^{-7} \text{ m}}$$

↑  
bit off

black body radiation

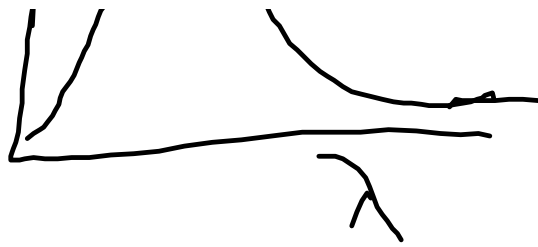
— (classical theory:  
charges vibrating should  
emit radiation



$I$

observed — like  
particle  
distribution

The graph shows intensity  $I$  on the vertical axis and wavelength  $\lambda$  on the horizontal axis. The curve is a single bell-shaped curve that peaks at a low wavelength value and tapers off towards higher wavelength values.



distance

Energy is in bundles,  $E = hf$

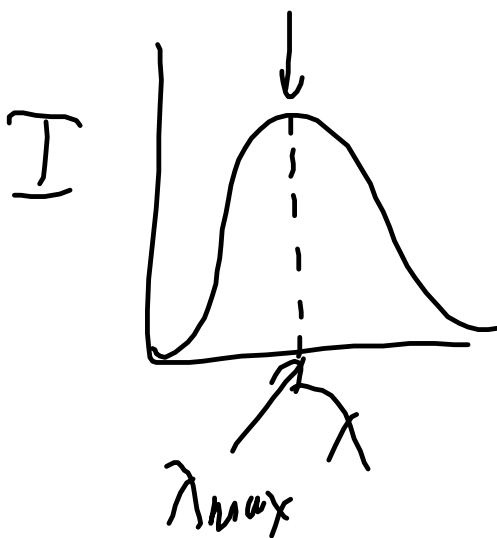
Depends on the temperature of the blackbody.

$$P = \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{emission constant}}}{\epsilon} \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{Stefan-Boltzmann constant}}}{\sigma} \overset{\substack{\text{Surface} \\ \text{area}}}{A} T^4 \leftarrow \begin{array}{l} \text{temperature} \\ \text{in Kelvin} \end{array}$$

$5.67 \times 10^{-8} \text{ W m}^{-2} \text{ K}^{-4}$

Power in Watts

Peak  $\leftarrow$  emission intensity  
wavelength



$$\lambda = \frac{2.90 \times 10^{-3}}{T}$$

$\uparrow$  in Kelvin